

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Michael Stroder et al

Group Art Unit: TBA

Serial No.: 10/540,433

Examiner: TBA

Filed: June 22, 2005

For: TREATMENT OF GRANULAR SOLIDS IN A FLUIDIZED BED WITH  
MICROWAVES

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for Response to a Notice to File Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
☒ is filed herewith.  
☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
☐ Statement has already been filed

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| 4. |                                     | <u>Total Months<br/>Requested</u> | <u>Fee for Other<br/>than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for<br/>Small Entity</u> |
| a. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month                         | \$120.00                                   | \$60.00                         |
| b. | <input type="checkbox"/>            | two months                        | \$450.00                                   | \$225.00                        |
| c. | <input type="checkbox"/>            | three months                      | \$1,020.00                                 | \$510.00                        |
| d. | <input type="checkbox"/>            | four months                       | \$1,590.00                                 | \$795.00                        |
| e. | <input type="checkbox"/>            | five months                       | \$2,160.00                                 | \$1,080.00                      |

- f. ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ \_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_\_) equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).
5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. **13-4500**, Order No. 4791-4004. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **13-4500**. Order No. 4791-4004. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: May 15, 2006

By: \_\_\_\_\_

  
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